

Maryland Defense Agency Profile

Aberdeen Proving Ground (APG)



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[Website](#)

Senior Mission Commander: Major General Robert Edmonson
Commanding General: U.S Army Communications-Electronics Command (CECOM)

Garrison Commander: Colonel Johnny Casiano

Senior Command:

Branch: U.S. Army

Maryland Employees: 28,000

History & Mission: APG was established in 1917 on the shores of Chesapeake Bay in Maryland's Harford County to provide the nation a site where Army materiel could be tested. At the same time, the Edgewood Arsenal was established nearby to provide a site for the development, production, and testing of chemical warfare materiel. The two installations were officially joined as Aberdeen Proving Ground in 1971. The base covers 72,500 acres, and includes 200 buildings, the Phillips Army Airfield and the Weide Army Aviation Support Facility. APG is also host to the National Guard and U.S. Army Reserve operations and training. The installation hosts 11 major commands and has over 90 tenant organizations.

As a "Home of Innovation" over 28,000 civilian, military and contractual employees at APG are responsible for numerous technical achievements in military intelligence, medical research, engineering, communications, and computer technology. APG is an economic and technology resource for the region. APG provides facilities to perform research, development, testing and evaluation of Army materiel. The installation also supports a wide variety of training, including, health promotion and preventive medicine, chemical and biological defense, chemical casualty care, and chemical demilitarization.

Federal Facilities Profile

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Major Tenants, Commands and Centers

U.S. Army Communications and Electronics Command (CECOM)
20th Chemical, Biological, Radiological, Nuclear, Explosives Command (CBRNE)
Joint Program Executive Office for Chemical Biological Defense (JPEO-CBD)
203rd Military Intelligence Battalion
U.S. Army Combat Capabilities Development Command (CCDC)
 Army Research Laboratory
 C5ISR Center
 Chemical Biological Center
 Data & Analysis Center
U.S. Army Contracting Command, Aberdeen Proving Ground (ACC-APG)
Army Public Health Center
U.S. Army Chemical Materials Activity (CMA)
U.S. Army Civilian Human Resource Agency, Northeast Region
Maryland Army National Guard (MDARNG)
Maryland National Guard Freestate Challenge Academy
U.S. Army Medical Research Institute of Chemical Defense (MRICD)
Program Executive Office, Assembled Chemical Weapons Alternatives (PEO-ACWA)
Program Executive Office for Command, Control, Communications Tactical (PEO C3T)
Program Executive Office for Intelligence, Electronic Warfare and Sensors (PEO IEW&S)
U.S. Army Test and Evaluation Command (ATEC)
 U.S. Army Evaluation Center (AEC)
 U.S. Aberdeen Test Center (ATC)
 U.S. Army Joint Test Element (JTE)

Resources

[Doing Business](#)
[Army Contracting Command](#)

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Centers of Excellence

- Public Health and Medical Research
 - Test and Evaluation
 - Research and Development
 - Chemical, Biological, Radiological, Nuclear and Explosives (CBRNE)
 - U.S. Army Command, Control, Communications, Computers, Cyber, Intelligence, Sensors and Reconnaissance Team (C5ISR)
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